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County of San Bernardino
Environmental Health Services

APPLICATION FOR ARTIST REGISTRATION

Tattooing, Body Piercing, and Permanent Cosmetics

Applicant Information:

Applicant's Full Name	Date of Birth	Phone
Residential Address	City	State
		Zip Code

Facility Information:

Name	Email	Phone
Address	City	State
		Zip Code

Operator's Working Hours _____ Days Closed _____

Check all procedures to be performed:

☐ Tattooing ☐ Body Piercing ☐ Permanent Cosmetics

How do you process the needles and other blood waste? _____

One- time Registration Fee: \$26.00

Make check payable to County of San Bernardino

Submit Application and payment to:

East Valley

385 N. Arrowhead Ave
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0160
(909)884-4056

West Valley

8575 Haven Ave, Suite 130
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730
(909) 948-5058

High Desert

15900 Smoketree St, Suite 131
Hesperia, CA 92345
(760) 995-8140

"I declare under the penalty of law, that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made herein are correct and true. I certify that I am 18 years of age and that I have received a copy of the Department's standards. I hereby submit this application for health services in accordance with the laws, ordinances and regulations that are now and may herein after be enforced by the United States Government, the State of California, and the County of San Bernardino pertaining to the above mentioned business. I hereby consent to all necessary inspections incident to the issuance of this registration and the operation of the business."

Name _____

Date _____

Signature _____

Title _____

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FA _____	Submitted By _____	Date Submitted _____
PR _____	Entered By _____	Date Entered _____



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INTERIM STANDARDS PURSUANT TO AB 517 FOR
Tattooing, Body Piercing, and Permanent Cosmetics

When practitioners or clients are exposed to the blood of others, there is a potential risk of infection with at least three significant human pathogens: Hepatitis B Virus, Hepatitis C Virus and the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)

To minimize the possible risk of transmission of blood borne diseases the following standards are to be observed:

FOR PROTECTION OF THE CLIENT, PRACTITIONERS SHALL:

- Thoroughly clean and disinfect work surfaces and equipment after each procedure is completed
- Properly dispose of any disposable needles
- Wear clean clothing
- Wash and disinfect hands and forearms between clients. Hands and forearms are not considered clean unless they have been thoroughly washed with soap and water for at least 15 seconds followed by a thorough rinsing under a stream of potable (drinkable) water
- Be free of diseases that can be transmitted via performance of the procedure, e.g. pustular skin lesions
- Not eat, drink, or smoke in work areas or while performing procedures
- Ensure skin surfaces are clean prior to tattooing, piercing or the application of permanent cosmetics
- Not perform procedures on skin surfaces exhibiting any sunburn, rash, pimples, boils, moles, or infection or otherwise manifesting any evidence of unhealthy conditions
- Maintain records on each procedure that shall include: date, type, location and description; client name, date of birth, gender and current address; and the name of the practitioner

FOR THEIR OWN PROTECTION, PRACTITIONERS SHOULD:

- Wear protective gloves while doing any procedure that may cause bleeding and discard them after each client
- Wear a face shield if there is any danger of splash of blood or other bodily fluids
- Discard used items immediately after use into a waterproof container or plastic bag

ADDITIONAL STANDARDS: PRACTITIONERS SHALL NOT:

- Apply any tattoo to a person under the age of eighteen except when authorized or directed by a physician
- Perform body piercing on a person under the age of eighteen unless a parent or guardian accompanies them; both the guardian and the minor shall have valid picture identification
- Perform body piercing of the nipples or genitalia on a person under the age of eighteen
- Perform tattooing, body piercing or permanent cosmetics on any person who is impaired by drugs or alcohol
- Perform tattooing or permanent cosmetics without first advising the client that these are to be considered permanent and can only be removed by a surgical procedure which may result in scarring

"I hereby acknowledge receipt of these standards. I further commit to comply with these standards when performing activities associated with tattooing, body piercing or permanent cosmetics."

Name _____

Date _____

Signature _____

Title _____